करोड़ रु० के जल आपूर्ति घटक सहित 182.40 करोड़ रु० की अनुमानित लागत से शिमला, मनाली, मंडी, धर्मशाला चम्बा और सोलन नामक 6 कस्बों के एकीकृत विकास हेतु एक परियोजना प्रस्ताव प्रस्तुत किया था। प्रस्ताव पर राज्य सरकार के अधिकारियों के साथ चर्चा की गई है तथा उनसे और ब्यौरे भेजने का अनुरोध किया गया है ।

(ख) प्रश्न नहीं उठता ।

Light Rail Transit Project in A.P.

3454. SHRI MENTAY PADMANABHAM: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that M/s. Asea Brown Bovery (ABB) and M/s. Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited have submitted a proposal for a light rail transit project in Andhra Pradesh;

(b) if so, what is the status of the proposal; and

(c) the financial back-up for this proposal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) No proposal from M/s. Asea Brown Bovery (ABB) for executing the Light Rail Transit Project in Andhar Pardesh has been received.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Ambedkar Awas Yojna

3455. SHRI RAM NARESH YADAV: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons registered with DDA for allotting of MIG, LIG and Janta type quarters under Ambedkar Awas Yojna;

(b) whether DDA has made draw for MIG, LIG and Janta type flats, if not, by which time the applicants will be informed about their being in the list of priority for allotment of the flats by DDA; and

(c) whether there would be any concession in the cost of the flats and by which time these flats would be ready for allotment?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) The DDA has reported that under Ambedkar Awas Yojana, the draw for LIG and Janata category for registration of 10,000 and 3,000 persons respectively, has already been conducted. The draw for registration of 7,000 persons under MIG category is yet to be held, the matter being *sub-judice*.

(c) The flats will be allotted to the registrants of Ambedkar Awas Yojana on the same price as are applicable to other registrants of New Pattern Scheme-1979.

Flats will be available for allotment to these registrants from time to time.

DDA reports that all the registrants will be covered by the end of Eighth Five Year Plan time depending upon the availability of finance, land and infrastructure services.

Rio Earth Summit and Bio-diversity Treaty

3456. SHRIMATI KAMLA SINHA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government would like to extend further impetus to fly-ash technology for brick-building developed by the Central Fuel Research Institute Dhanbad in the light of recent Rio Earth Summit and Biodiversity treaty;

(b) whether the fly-ash technology has been categorised as environment friendly and low-cost technology; and